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## Retail Telecommunication Excise Tax

15-53-130, MCA Return and Instructions

1. FEIN:	4. If this is an amended return, check here.
2. Acct ID:	5. If you are no longer in business and want your account cancelled, check box and enter final date
3. Period: -	6. If your address has changed, check the box and print new address below:
Due:	
7. Revenue attributable to Montana telecommunication services: Total Gross (minus)	Exclusions (minus) Wholesale (equals) Retail
a. Wireless b. Long distance c. Local exchange d. Other	
8. Total	
9. Multiply line 8, total retail revenue, by 0.0375 (3.75) (total retail = sum of a, b, c, and d)	
10. Less: Excise tax paid on uncollectible accounts	
11. Recapture of previously written off taxes	
12. Tax due (sum of lines 9, 10 and 11)	
13. Penalty	
14. Interest	
15. Total due with this return (sum of lines 12, 13 and 14)	
16. Internet access revenue	
Signature	
Phone Date	

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Please note:

You may request to file on an accrual basis and/or on an electronic basis by sending in a written request.

You may request to file annually. If the total amount of the telecommunications excise tax due is less than \$50 in each of the quarters during the preceding calendar year, the taxpayer may file an annual return in lieu of filing quarterly returns, provided the annual return is filed along with full payment within 60 days after the close of the calendar year.

Line 7 & 8	Enter total gross revenue, exclusionary revenue, wholesale revenue, and retail revenue.
Line 9	Multiply line 8, total retail revenue, by 0.0375 (3.75%).
Line 10	Enter previously remitted tax found to be uncollectible and deducted as bad debt for federal income tax purposes.
Line 11	Enter recapture of taxes collected and previously written off as bad debts.
Line 12	Enter tax due (sume of lines 9, 10, and 11).
Lines 13 & 14	If your return/payment is delinquent, you are subject to penalty and interest. Interest on late tax payments must bear interest until paid at a rate of 12% a year, computed from the original due date of the return. A penalty of 1.5% a month on unpaid taxes, not to exceed 18% of the tax due, is assessed on late payments. A penalty of \$50 or the amount of the tax due, whichever is less, is assessed on late filed returns.
Line 15	Enter total amount due (sum of lines 12, 13 and 14).
Line 16	Enter internet access revenues.
Line 17	Enter amount paid with this return. This should equal line 15.
	Make check payable to the Department of Revenue. Mail this return, payment and coupon to:  Department of Revenue, PO Box 5835, Helena, MT 59604-5835
	Cut on this line
	ecommunication Excise Tax  Coupon (RTET)  Period:

Account ID:

FEIN: